

SUMMARY SHEET  
BOARD OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL  
JULY 14, 2005

\_\_\_\_\_ ACTION/DECISION

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- I.     **TITLE:** Administrative and Consent Orders issued by Environmental Quality Control ("EQC").
- II.    **SUBJECT:** Administrative and Consent Orders issued during the period May 1, 2005, through May 31, 2005.
- III.   **FACTS:** For the period May 1, 2005 through May 31, 2005 EQC issued twenty (20) Consent Orders with total assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$121,080.00. There were two (2) Administrative Orders placed in force during this reporting period with total assessed penalties in the amount of \$7,800.00.

Unless otherwise specified, "Previous Orders" as listed in this report include orders issued by Environmental Quality Control programs within the last five (5) years.

<u>Bureau</u>	<u>Administrative Orders</u>	<u>Assessed Penalties</u>	<u>Consent Orders</u>	<u>Assessed Penalties</u>
<b>Land &amp; Waste Management</b>				
Hazardous Waste	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0
Solid Waste	0	0	0	0
UST Program	2	7,800.00	0	0
SUBTOTAL	2	\$ 7,800.00	0	\$ 0
<b>Water</b>				
Drinking Water	0	\$ 0	3	\$ 1,780.00
Water Pollution	0	0	12	95,300.00
SUBTOTAL	0	\$ 0	15	\$ 97,080.00
<b>Air Quality</b>				
SUBTOTAL	0	\$ 0	5	\$ 24,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>\$ 7,800.00</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>\$ 121,080.00</b>

**ANALYSIS:** During the reporting period, Underground Storage Tank Enforcement issued two (2) Administrative Orders that were not appealed and consequently placed in force. One Respondent failed to demonstrate financial responsibility as well as failed to supply records to the Department upon request. The civil penalty for these violations, in the amount of \$2,750.00, has been paid. Additionally, a Respondent failed to maintain the spill prevention equipment and failed to provide adequate release detection method. For these violations, a civil penalty in the amount of \$5,050.00 was assessed.

Water Pollution Enforcement entered into a Consent Order with Rock Hill School District Three (Respondent) for violations related to construction and development activities at the new Rock Hill High School. Specifically, the Respondent failed to install and maintain sediment and erosion control devices thereby causing the discharge of waste into the environment, including waters of the state. The Respondent has submitted the required report certifying that all sediment and erosion control devices have been installed and are properly functioning. A civil penalty in the amount of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) was assessed.

Air Quality Enforcement entered into a Consent Order with Shaw Air Force Base of Sumter, South Carolina (Respondent) for violations of federal and South Carolina asbestos regulations, specifically, the safe handling and disposal of regulated asbestos containing material, work practice and air sampling requirements. The Respondent has reorganized its program to ensure a yearly review of the asbestos regulations. A civil penalty in the amount of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) was assessed.

Of the twenty (20) Consent Orders issued by EQC enforcement programs during the reporting period, all of the Respondents have either complied with the Order requirements or are currently in compliance with schedules required in those Orders.

Submitted by:

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